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PUPILS PREPARING MISSOURI HISTORY

B7th STUDENTS WORKING PROJECT IN ZIEGLER'S CONTEST

A BOOK BY EACH PUPIL

Then Best Material Will Be Chosen From These—Will Also Organize Greater Mo. Assn.

At the end of every semester, a cup is given to the class that makes the best project for that semester. The class that wins the cup, keeps it until another grade presents a better project.

The seventh A grade, under the supervision of Mrs. Theodore Gray is compiling a history of Missouri, as their project. The subject of the history will be, "How Missouri Became American." The pupils will gather together all of the material that they can to be worked into this project. The project will be worked out in the following manner; class discussions, special reports, compositions, posters, maps, graphs, lantern slides, postcards and collections of pictures. Each student will make a book for himself, and the material for the history will be selected from these individual books.

Outline of Project

The following is a brief outline of the project:

The first of the history, will be devoted to the early history of the State. This will take up the Mound Builders, the Spanish explorers under De Soto, the explorations of La Salle along the Mississippi, the explorations and work of Marquette and Joliet, and the French Traders.

The next part of the book will deal with the changes in ownership of Missouri. The different changes that will be outlined are; Territory west of Mississippi first ceded to Spain by France, in 1763. Ceded back to France by a secret treaty, in 1800. Later bought by the United States as the Louisiana purchase, 1803. Became the territory of Missouri. Later admitted to the union; enlarged by the Platte Purchase.

The third part of the history will deal with the early settlements of Missouri. The topics taken up in this part will be the settlements of Ste. Genevieve, St. Louis and St. Charles. It will also include the settlements founded by the pioneers from Kentucky, led by Daniel Boone.

Growth of Missouri

The next part of the history will concern the growth and development of Missouri. There will be five subheads under this section. They are natural advantages, industries, educational advantages, leading cities, and the famous men of Missouri.

Mrs. Gray has prepared some topics for discussion, and some for composition work. These topics will be one part of the project, just the same as the other things that are being used. The students are also collecting pictures of scenes in Missouri to be used in the history.

When all of this work is collected, it will constitute a very interesting history of the State, and if the project doesn't win the cup, it will at least have furnished some very valuable facts to the pupils about their native state.

Members of Class

The following are the members of the class; Erman Barrett, Orville Bennet, Envoy Brewer, Wallace Culver, Oliver Curl, Everett Ditto, Charles Hitt, Clarence Lloyd, George McMurray, Lewis Moore, Leonard Moore Victor Mumma, George Wagner, Harry Wilson, Walter Taylor, Margaret Carlson, Henrietta Hildreth, Gertrude Wilson, Ellen Wiles, Grace Westfall, La Veta Barrow, Helen Bryant, Marzella Clary, Rachal England, Elizabeth Hull, Mary Jackson, Grace Johnson, Mary Frances Lasell, Lora Lowe, Mary Donna Malotte, Opal Middleton, Eleanor Nicholas, Lela Nichols, Leona Ross, Mildred Sheridan, Arvilla Trullinger, Opal Wagner.

Besides the project work, the class will also organize a "Greater Missouri Association."

Visitor From Michigan.

Mrs. Caroline Eek of Muskegon, Mich., will arrive tomorrow morning to visit her son, Lauris M. Eek, and Mrs. Eek, for several weeks. She is en route home from Mayville, N. Dak., where she has been spending the winter at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Lohre.

Herbert Hoover Lends on a Nodaway Farm

Secretary of Commerce Makes $11,000 Loan On Farm Near Graham —Papers Filed Today

Herbert C. Hoover of Washington, D. C., a member of the cabinet of President Harding, being Secretary of Commerce, has made a loan of $11,000 on a farm located near Graham. The papers were filed in recorder's office today.

The former owner of this farm, who is a resident of San Francisco, Cal., and Mr. Hoover are personal friends.

CHAS. STILWELL IS POLICE COURT

APPOINTED BY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT.

CITY BALANCE, $37,357

Library, Collector and Other Reports in Last Night—Another Meeting Tonight.

Charles E. Stilwell was appointed police judge of Maryville last night at the regular monthly council meeting of the mayor and commissioners. Mr. Stilwell will try all cases coming before the city.

Routine business, such as allowing bills, hearing and passing upon reports, were taken up at last night's meeting. Alex Holt was granted a permit to plant a tree in the parking in front of his home. The council will meet tonight in an adjourned session of last night's meeting.

The Mayor's report for the month of April showed the following balances in the various city funds: General fund, $7280.88; street fund, $1554.84; library fund, $2031.84; old water bond principal, $7262.24; old water bond interest, $5357.95; second water bond principal, $855.18; second water bond interest, $1705.47; street lighting fund, $4503.64; street workers fund, $251; water department balance $6004.90; lateral sewer fund, $498.72; old water operating fund, (overdrawn), $2,000.85; second water bond improvement fund, $47.87. Total balance, $37,357.36.

The collector's report for the month showed that $36.77 in taxes in $35.38 in delinquent taxes had been collected.

The report of Miss Grace Langan, librarian, showed that 1313 books and 123 magazines had been lent during the month, 19 reader cards had been issued, $17.17 in collections and a total of 1950 readers in the reading rooms. The following shows the kind of magazines lent:

Juvenile: fiction, 346, non fiction, 73; general—fiction, 809; biography 15; religion, 2; sociology, 2; natural science, 4; useful arts, 10; fine arts, 4; literature, 43; and history, 5. The average number of books and magazines lent per day was 57, and the average daily number of readers was 65.

T2 Takes Off for Cross Country Trip

Roosevelt Field, New York, May 2—The giant monoplane, T2, hopped off on her transcontinental journey at 1:37 o'clock this afternoon carrying Lieuts. John A. Macready and Oakley G. Kelley, fliers, who expected to be in San Diego, California tomorrow evening. The weather was clear. Clouds were floating at 3400-foot elevation. The weather throughout the United States was favorable, according to reports, with the exception of rain in Arkansas. A large crowd saw the fliers take off.

The machine raised slowly and left the ground about the middle of Curtiss field. As it neared the hangers, where two spectators were, it seemed as if the huge ship would not clear them. The crowd fearing a crash, scurried to the outside, but the ship cleared.

The fliers expect to cover the 2,600 miles in thirty hours, making an average time of ninety miles an hour. After clearing the field they turned their noses towards Pittsburg. Their itinerary will include St. Louis, Woodward, Texas and Phoenix, Ariz. By dusk they expect to be over Dayton, O. Macready will drive until midnight when he will be relieved by Kelley and then the drivers will alternate until they reach their destination.

A GOLF TOURNEY TO START MAY 4

QUALIFICATION FLIGHTS THEN AT COUNTRY CLUB

MATCH PLAY ON MAY 12

Tentative Plans Now Being Made to Hold Annual Flag Day Tourney

The qualification flights of the first golf tournament of the Maryville Country Club will be held on May 4, 5 and 6 and will be a medal play tourney to determine the classification of the different players. Each entrant in the tourney will play eighteen holes of golf for a qualification score. The score cards of the play will be dropped in the tourney box at the club house at the completion of the eighteen holes. The scores must be registered on official score cards which may be obtained at the club house.

On May 12 and 13 the first medal match tournament will be held in classes, the players being ranked according to their scores in the first tournament. In qualification flights the players may choose their own partners.

Tentative plans have been made for the annual Flag Day tournament. A feature of this will be contests in driving, use of the massie and putting.

A contest for distance with the driver and ones for accuracy with driving, use of the mashie and putt.

Both men and women are to be included in the contests.

The committee arranging the tournament is composed of M. V. Sims, L. M. Eek and F. C. Miller.

Many Students Will Attend Rural Concert

Tickets Will Be Given To County Children From 10 to 1:30 Friday At College

Judging from the number of reports from the rural children coming in to Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent and Geo. A. Pickens, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, the capacity of the Teachers College auditorium will be taxed Friday afternoon when the Kansas City Little Symphony orchestra will give a special concert for the rural school children of Nodaway County.

The children will come to this concert as guests of the Maryville business men. The merchants have bought the entire house of 1200 tickets and will give them to the children from 10 o'clock Friday morning until 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The program will begin promptly at 1:30 o'clock and all children are urged to be on time. The tickets will be given out at the south door of the college.

The splendid response of the rural children to accepting the invitations to the program show the appreciation by them of good music. The numbers to be played by the orchestra will be the same as was studied in the music contests by the pupils last year.

After the musical program moving pictures will be taken of the rural children as guests of the Maryville business men. These pictures will then be added to the Nodaway County school film, "An the Truth Shall Make You Free."

Mrs. Mary Saunders Dies in California

Mrs. Mary A. Saunders of San Diego, Cal., mother of A. D. Saunders of Maryville, died last Sunday morning at her home following an extended illness. The body will be brought to Whitesville, Mo., the former home of the family, for burial, and is expected there Friday. Funeral services will probably be held Saturday or Sunday, and Maryville relatives will go to Whitesville for the funeral. Mrs. Saunders was 86 years old.

A Lap Lunch at 1st M. E. Church

A lap lunch will start the regular mid-week church services at the First M. E. Church this evening. Each person is asked to bring sandwiches for himself and one other. After the lunch there will be an official board meeting. Devotional services will follow the board meeting. The meeting is called for 6:30 o'clock.

Students Desert High School for Annual Walk-Out

Many were the apprehensive and fearful glances cast sky-ward by the high school students, yesterday. They knew that on the morrow they would participate in the first annual high school field day, and it just couldn't rain and spoil it all. However, this morning dawned fairly clear, with some clouds in the west. The students were willing to trust that old Jupiter Pluvius would be kind to them, and they duly made ready to depart. By nine-thirty the halls of learning were empty, the students having gone to the Gray's farm, north of town. However they did not have a "walk-out" as has been the custom, for they all went in cars.

The day was spent in festivities and games. One of the features was the series of "stunts" staged. Each class put on a stunt, for the enjoyment of the others. The dignified and learned faculty, not desiring to feel slighted, also put on a stunt. At dinner-time a hungry bunch assembled, and were fed by Miss Carpenter's home "ec" class.

The freshman class put on a wedding. The bride and groom were escorted to the "alter" by flower girls, who were strewing dandelions in their path. After the wedding was over, the seniors put on their stunt. This consisted of the "Kansas City Chorus," of renowned singers led by "Bun" O'Banion. The faculty stunt consisted of a contest between "Orrsburg" and "Arkoe." The different entries were orchestra, chorus, quartettes, typewriting, tableaux, dramatics and track meet. The faculty stunt was the prize winner and was enjoyed by all present.

After a day of enjoyment, the students returned to town, via the automobile, to unwillingly return to school in the morning.

CANADIAN WOMAN PAYS FOR MURDER

FIRST WOMAN HANGED THERE IN 24 YEARS.

KILLED A CONSTABLE

Woman Maintained Innocence Until Last—Accomplice Hanged An Hour Earlier.

Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta Canada, May 2—For the first time since 1899 a woman was hanged in Canada when Mrs. Florence Lassandra was executed today for the killing of a constable. Emilo Piccariello, convicted for the same crime, was also hanged about an hour before the trap was sprung upon his woman accomplice.

Last minute attempts to secure a reprieve for Mrs. Lassandra, who was alleged to have charged Piccariello with the sole responsibility for the shooting, was without avail. A special meeting of the cabinet met last night to consider the statement of the mother of the convicted woman, but decided not to interfere with the execution.

Mrs. Lassandra was charged with the murder of Steve Lawson, a constable of the Alberta provincial police. Ten shots from two guns entered Lawson's body and Mrs. Lassandra and Piccariella with guns on them were found at Coleman, near the scene of the crime. The convicted woman's mother visited the death cell yesterday and reported to the police that her daughter had made a confession giving a new version upon the shooting. She told the police that Piccariello had fired both guns and forced her daughter to take one of them after pledging her to silence.

Arrests Expected in Remington Death

Los Angeles, May 2—Two men and a woman were to be arrasted by the sheriff's office today for suspects in the murder February 15, of Earl Remington, clubman and ma nabout town who was shot as he entered his home. The names of the suspects were withheld, but it was stated that the men were soldiers.

Band Practice Thursday.

C. D. Kutschinski, band director, announced today that there would be a special rehearsal of the band at 8:15 o'clock Thursday evening at the Conservatory hall.

FACULTY CONCERT SUNDAY EVENING

SECOND MUSIC WEEK NUMBER TO BE GIVEN

AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Five Conservatory Members and College Chorus Will Give Program —No Church Anywhere

There will be no Sunday evening services at any of the Maryville protestant churches. The program for the evening will be the faculty concert of the Conservatory of Music of the College, the second number of Music Week. This program will be given at the First Christian Church and admission will be free. The program will start at 8:15 o'clock.

The following are the members of the conservatory, who will play: Organist and conductor, Charles R. Gardner, pianist and accompanist, T. H. Annett; pianist, Geneva Wilfley; baritone, L. A. Richman; violinist, C. D. Kutschinski. The college chorus is on the program with the faculty. The following is the program:

Organ, "Evensong," (Johnston).

Invocation, Rev. C. C. James.

Voice, "O God Have Mercy," from St. Paul, (Mendelssohn).

Piano, (a) Ecossaisen, (Bussoni-Beethoven); (b) Perpetuum Mobile, (Weber).

Violin, "Introduction et Rondo Capriccioso," (Saint-Saens).

Organ, "Grand Offertoire de Ste. Cecile," (Batiste).

Voice, (a) "In Summer Fields," (Brahams); (b) "Night in May," (Brahams).

Violin, (a) "Hindoo Chant" from Sadko. (Rimsky-Korsakow-Kreisler); (b) "La Capriceuse," "Elgar).

Piano Duo, "Espana" (Chabrier).

Chorus, "Great and Marvellous Are Thy Works," (Gaul).

Benediction, Rev. J. A. Cooper.

The sacredness of this service in music requires your refraining from any applause.

K. K. K. Meeting to Be in Maitland Tonight

U. S. Lacey, Minister From Des Moines, to Give Lecture at Fair Grounds in That Town

A Ku Klux Klan meeting and lecture will be held tonight at the fair grounds at Maitland. Posters and hand bills to this effect have been circulated over that part of the country and quite a crowd is expected to attend. The leading part of the program will be an address which will be given at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev. U. S. Lacey, pastor of one of the Presbyterian churches in Des Moines. Mr. Lacey will talk on the K. K. K.

The meeting will be open to men, women, and children and is free. A number of handbills of the affair have been circulated in Maryville and other towns in the county and, from all indications, the meeting will be one of the largest demonstrations of the Klan in this part of the state.

Mr. Lacey is a Chautauqua lecturer as well as a minister and his talk will doubtless draw a large crowd. A number of persons from Maryville are planning to attend.

It is not known whether a public demonstration of the Klan, outside of the lecture, will be made. Neither is it known if members will appear in K. K. K. regalia.

Barmann Auto Co. Remodeling Front

Forty-five Years Ago Frank Barmann Started Carriage Business In Same Building

One of Maryville's business landmarks is coming down in part today as work has been started upon tearing the front out of the building of the Barmann Auto Company. A new modern front will be put in the building making it one of the nicest show and sales rooms in Northwest Missouri.

The present front of the building, which is being torn out, is forty-five years old. The year this was built, Frank Barmann, now senior member of the firm, started business there in the carriage and buggy business. He has been in business continuously since that time. With the advent of the automobile, he gradually changed his business from buggies and carriages to motor cars and has been the pioneer Ford agent in Maryville.

Two Bodies Found in Chicago River

Chicago, May 2.—The bodies of a pretty unidentified girl, 22, and an unidentified man of about 35, were found in the Chicago River this afternoon. Both had apparently been there for weeks. The bodies were found while the police were searching for the bodies of three persons, who had been reported as plunging into the river with an auto early today.

The girl's left eye was swollen, her hair bobbed, and she wore a wrist watch bearing the initials S. M. The man weighed about 160 pounds and was slightly bald.

NORTHWESTERN U. PROBES A MURDER

BODY OF STUDENT FOUND DECOMPOSED

IS RESULT OF HAZING

Practice Forever Abolished by President Scott—Students Summoned For Inquest

Chicago, May 2—President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern University, members of the sophomore and freshman class, and former companions of Leighton Mount, will be called today to attend the inquest of the unfortunate youth, whose body was found weighed down with debris Monday night at Evanston. The indications are that Mount was slain when a group of sophomores, hazing the freshman of which he was one, when he vanished in September, 1921.

From the police at Evanston came the startling information today of the discovery of a chemical on the body to hasten decomposition before the body could be found, thus making identification impossible. No odor from the body was noticed in the neighborhood for the many months that the body lay there.

"The boy was murdered," declared Chief of Police Leggett of Evanston. "He didn't crawl in there to die. His body was thrust in and hidden by those who killed him. I am going to uncover the murderers if I have to question the entire student body."

It is regarded as certain that perhaps a half dozen students have been carrying this secret for two years. Heavy stones had been piled over the body, some of them so large that they cracked the ribs of the victim.

President Scott of the university announced today that matters had gone so far the university was turning the affair over to the state officials and would co-operate to the fullest extent.

President Scott and Chief Leggett believe the students responsible for Mount's death will come forward and make full confessions. Chief Leggett says he has no doubt the killing was accidental and came in the course of the class fight and he believes the students who have been carrying this knowledge for so long will welcome the opportunity to get it off their consciences.

"House of David" Girls to Testify

St. Joseph, Mich., May 2.—Every House of David girl between the ages of 13 and 15, will be called to tell whether or not "King David" Purnell mistreated them. They will testify in the investigation, now under way, it was announced by Attorney General Daugherty today. Harry J. Dingeman, judge, and one man grand jury, has asked that the newspapers refrain from telling the names of the girl witness so they may feel free to tell all. The judge said a half dozen girls were ready to tell all and that he had been given the name of one who would testify she bowed to the wishes of the bearded head of the cult after being told these were a part of the holy rituals.

Keller to Speak to Rotary Club

Dr. Fred Keller of the Teachers College faculty, left this afternoon for Trenton, where he will deliver two addresses tomorrow. At noon he will address the Trenton Rotary Club and in the afternoon he will speak to the teachers of the Junior High School upon the work of a junior high school.

GERMANY MAKES OFFER OF GOLD

BUT FRENCH MUST WITHDRAW FROM RUHR.

PARIS HOSTILE TO PLAN

French Officials Say 30 Million Marks Not Enough—Copy of Order Sent to Allied Powers.

Berlin, May 2—Germany's new proposals offering the allies 30 billion gold marks in addition to the sum already paid, which was made public today, is being delivered to the governments of the United States, England, France, Italy, Belgium and Japan. The proposal demands that all German territory "occupied in excess of that stipulation in the Versailles Treaty be evacuated." This is designed to rid German territory of the French and Belgians.

Paris, May 2—Germany's new reparation proposals, demanding evacuation of the Ruhr by the French and Belgians, received a hostile reception in Paris today. It was generally accepted as a foregone conclusion that the offer would be rejected by the French.

French officials believed that the prime object of Germany in formulating the new proposals is to draw the United States into the reparation negotiations. However, advices from Washington strongly indicate that government remaining aloof. The French will stand pat upon the original plan worked out in Paris and reaffirmed later and under this will not evacuate Germany until the Germans make reparation offers acceptable to France and Belgium, and then the evacuation will be gradual, withdrawal being made as Germany pays.

French officials declared that 30 billion marks, less than 7 billion, 500 thousand dollars, is too low, although they intimated France might consent to 12 billion dollars.

It is improbable that France will deem the offer today sufficiently satisfactory to open negotiations with the other allies.

U. S. Unopposed to British Navy Plans

Washington, May 2—The United States has no objections to the British admiralty's plan to make Singapore a huge naval base, it was stated in official circles here today. It is entirely within their legal rights under the Washington armament conference to develop the Singapore project, according to officials in navy and diplomatic quarters. The American naval experts say the building of the powerful naval base is not aimed at the United States, but at Japan, who has been the source of worry to the British admiralty in the Pacific.

Severe Wind Storm Strikes Louisiana

New Orleans, La., May 2—The severest wind and rain storm in many years swept this city today and caused thousands of dollars damage and imperiled many lives. Hundreds were rescued from Milneburg, a resort town of Lake Ponschtrain, when a special train was rushed to the little village to carry off the residents. Milneburg was under water for several hours.

U. S. Will Foster An Anti-Narcotic Plan

Washington, May 2—Negotiations for a world agreement to curb the production and maufacture of narcotic drugs will be proposed and undertaken by the United States at Geneva this month, it was learned today.

An advance commission of the League of Nations on the narcotic question will meet at Geneva on May 24. American delegates will attend the meeting in a "consultative capacity" and will formally broach the subject of an international convention.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday, preceded by showers this afternoon or tonight in the southeast portion; cooler tonight.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

RECONCILING DIFFERENCES

President Harding, in addressing the Daughters of the American Revolution the other day, called attention to the striking coincidence between the problems that the fathers of revolutionary days confronted, and those that face the United States now.

When the effort was made to unite the 13 colonies in a single nation, it was found that the people of these states were torn by intense antagonisms and conflicting interests. As you read about those old times, and how the patriot fathers and some not so patriotic fought among themselves, it seems a perfect marvel that they could ever reconcile their divergencies of thought and join in forming one government.

The conflict of so-called classes, and controversies between sections and interests create turmoil in this country today. But these antagonisms are not so serious as those that the framers of our government had to deal with. The spirit of America, having accomplished such grand results in the past, will not fail to solve the problems of the present.

It looks like the time is coming when, if a man does not get an auto, the autos will get him.

There are two kinds of people in every community, those willing to work and those willing to let them.

The cost of intelligent advertising always subtract more than it costs from the total cost of doing business.

The Globe-Democrat, which undertook to be an independent news paper after it absorbed the St. Louis Republic, gets it going and coming now. A republican exchange points to it as a newspaper "having democratic leanings" and some of the democratic exchanges point to it as the last word in unregenerated republicanism. It is somewhat in the proposition of the fellow who tried to settle a family row.

Forumettes

A lot of people never
Make good as they are
Always trying to convince
Themselves they are unlucky.

It is a lot better to be disappointed in love than to get married and be disappointed.

When a girl boasts that she can't sing why be so foolish as to try to make her prove it.

One of our friends tells us he has lost his taste for the real things of life. He says he has eaten the nut butters and the various substitutes so long that the real thing no longer tastes good to him.

He is indeed a wise man who has learned how to live on his wife's relatives, a bachelor observed to us the other day.

Why is it the average woman with grown children always thinks it necessary to tell you that she was married while quite young?

Soft shirts with attached collars will be quite the thing with the sheiks and staid business and professional men this summer, a salesman at a Main street haberdashery shop tells us.

EVER GET HUNGRY BETWEEN MEALS?

BUTTER KRISP POTATO CHIPS
and
B. & M. FRESH SALTED NUTS

will satisfy that hunger.

"Everybody Eats 'em,"
"Everybody Likes 'em."

On sale wherever confections are sold.

With vacation days not so many weeks off a lot of fellows are beginning to think up all the impossible places to visit.

Vagrant Musings

Few men who know they are right have the courage to do it.

The average man keeps pretty busy going about looking for temptations to avoid.

There is no better way to be contented than not to want the things you know you can't have.

When some men tell you they are laying all the cards on the table you know they have several up their sleeve.

It is good policy to regard the neighbors' affairs as nothing to speak of.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—The wor does not seem to understand me.

Bang—You should be glad that it does not.

To Keep You Guessing

How long can you carry water in a sieve? As long as it is frozen.

What is it which you can hear but cannot see? Wind.

What comes in the middle of April? The letter R.

Why is it dangerous to take a nap on a train? Because the cars run over sleepers.

When is a sailor not a sailor? When he is aboard.

When has a man four hands? When he doubles his fists.

When is the first man mentioned in the Bible? Chap. 1.

Why is a pious man like a sieve? He is holy.

How many sticks go to the building of a crow's nest? None, they are all carried.

Why must a fisherman be very wealthy? Because his is all net profit.

When is a baby not a baby? When it's a little dear.

Where did Noah strike the first nail in the ark? On its head.

Costello Guest Leaves

Miss Kathleen O'Malley of St. Joseph, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Costello for a week, returned home this morning.

A marriage license was issued today to Galen Franklin Kinman and Alda Marie Graves of Elmo.

A. L. Onkerson of Nodaway county, sold seventeen steers, 1047 lbs, $8.75 on the St. Joseph stock market yesterday.

You generally find that a man who is a good collector is a man who pays his debts on time.

PARNELL.

By Willing Workers.

Miss Mildred LaFavor spent the week end with friends in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nelson visited Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Houston, near Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Julia L. Jones entertained the following at supper Sunday evening: Mrs. B. A. Jones and daughter, Pauline, Misses Lolita and Veronica Hall, Opal Ingram, Clara Inez Cummins, Messrs. Forrest Elkins and Clifford Herndon.

Austin Felton and Horace Jones spent Sunday in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Calkins and children of Sheridan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Coffman and Mrs. Lester Nye were in Maryville Monday on business.

Mrs. Joe Prather and children are spending the week in Gilman City, caled there by the serious illness of her sister.

Mr. Kikendall and Viron Bird were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

John Melber of the Oxford neighborhood took the train here Tuesday for St. Joseph to consult a specialist. W. D. Meek accompanied him.

Miss Mildred Dunlap is spending several days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Oscar Shannon east of town.

Misses Beulah Denham and Edith Harris visited over Sunday with Miss Lucille Collins.

Mrs. Julius Kaufman went to St. Joseph Sunday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Spoonemore were dinner guests of Bert Spoonemore Sunday.

Elias Echterling and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird Sunday.

Charles Wilson, wife and baby spent Sunday with Thomas Collins and daughters.

James Hutchison and wife were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pope and O. W. Dixon and wife were dinner guests of Jesse Slagle and wife at Harmony Sunday.

John Mayfield and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Miller and Emmitt Miller and wife Sunday.

George Felton transacted business in Maryville Saturday.

Orla Miller was in Maryville on business Friday.

Albert Clutter and wife are the proud parents of a young daughter, born Tuesday morning.

Ballard Adams has purchased a half interest in the Wilhite barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Miller and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Klaas in Conception Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Funderburk visited Sunday evening in Conception with her uncle who lives in California.

Mrs. Mary Spire returned Friday from Savannah, where she has been taking treatment.

Benjamin Seyster and mother were in Maryville Monday.

Edward Smith of St. Joseph is visiting relatives here this week.

Guy Stingley and wife of Sheridan were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeFreece visited with Mrs. Eliza Sparks Sunda

Misses Florence, Francis and M dred Boedeker and Gerald Boedek spent Sunday in Maryville.

Mrs. Wm. Prugh and son, Benjam and Mrs. Flora Houser called on M and Mrs. Eugene Klaas Saturday.

Father Odillo visited in Maryvi Sunday and in Conception Monday.

Simeon Dixon and wife visited wi Richard O'Howell's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird visit with J. I. Miller Sunday evening.

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Society

Mrs. Baker Hostess

Mrs. George B. Baker was hostess to the Tuesday Luncheon Club yesterday at her home on West Third street.

Meeting Postponed

The meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Christian Church, which was announced for Friday afternoon at the church, has been postponed for one week. The change in time of meeting is made because of the opening program of Music Week.

Sorority Picnic

Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, sponsor of the Pi Epsilon Pi sorority, will entertain the members at a picnic supper this evening at her home on West Third street. Following the supper the regular business meeting will be held.

Wilfley Guests

Mrs. Allen Hinckley of Kansas City, accompanied by her son, Hugh, is expected Saturday night to spend a few days as the guest of Miss Geneva Wilfley at her home on West Third street. Mrs. Hinckley will be the contralto soloist in the oratorio, "The Holy City," which will be a Music Week feature next Monday night.

Picnic Supper

The Eurekan Literary Society of the State Teachers College will give a picnic beginning at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for members of the Philomathean and Excelsior societies. The affair will be held in the College Park and at 6 o'clock a picnic supper will be enjoyed.

The L. I. Club.

The L. I. Club met Thursday afternoon, April 26 with Mrs. Clarence Pope. The afternoon was spent in sewing for the hostess. A miscellaneous program was given. Visitors present were: Minnie Beverly and Francis Dowling. Eight members were in attendance. The next meeting will be two weeks with Mrs. Loren Gilispie. A miscellaneons program will be given.

Philomathean Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Philomathean Literary Society of the State Teachers College was given at 7 o'clock Monday evening at Residence Hall. The affair is given each year in honor of those who participate in the spring contests. Miss Anna May Gillis, president of the society, acted as toastmistress and toasts were given by Miss Mattie Dykes and Miss Blanche Dow. The program also included songs and charades by different members, a reading by Miss Lillian Hall and brief talks by President Lamkin and Miss Beatrix Winn. The long tables were attractively decorated in baskets of sweet peas and snapdragons and the society colors of gold and blue were carried out in the appointments of the three-course banquet. The guests of the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Uel W. Lamkin and son, Billy; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stanfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Miller, Miss Mattie Dykes, Miss Blanche Dow, Miss Beatrix Winn and Harvey Watson of Rosendale. The following members were present: Misses Augusta Quell, Marie Landfather, Elvira Ward, Winifred Thompson, Anna Houston, Orpha Stewart, Fannie Blacklock, Letha Wilson, Alma Morris, Issolee Wynne, Anna May Gillis, Merea Turner, Grace Foster, Mary Ruth Curfman, Nellie Halasey, Lillian Hall, Josephine Miller, Florine Pollard, Mildred Kiser and John Querry, Jason Kemp, Clelle Lehew, Harry Nelson, Fred Nelson, David Max, James Halasey, Everett Reynolds, Garland Miller and Ira Young.

Program on Japan and Korea

Misses Emma and Sophia Hull entertained the Young Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matteson on South Fillmore street. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. George Barton and Mrs. Brint Embree. Miss Ruth Matter was the leader of the program on Japan and Korea, and also led the devotions. Mrs. G. E. Brumbaugh, president, was in charge of the business session. Reports were given by the hostess fund committee, tithing secretary and other committees. Each member read a paragraph from the text book and Miss Matter had as her subject "Why Send Missionaries to Japan?" The mystery box concluded the program. The hostesses served refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed. Dr. C. C. James and Mrs. Matteson were the guests of the evening.

Westminster Guild

Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin entertained the Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian Church last night at her home on South Buchanan street. Devotions were led by Mrs. Robert Kerr, and Miss Margaret Lee Winston and Mrs. Kerr each read and discussed a chapter from the text book. A social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The Guild will hold its last meeting of the season May 15 at the home of Miss Leona Willard, with Miss Winston as assisting hostess. Guests at last night's meeting were Mrs. George Fred Davis and Mrs. Fred Holloway, and the members in attendance were Mrs. S. P. Allison, Mrs. Roy Curfman, Mrs. T. J. Eagle, Mrs. Roy Lippman, Mrs. H. E. Turk, Mrs. J. W. Nixson, Mrs. Robert Kerr, Mrs. C. P. Fryer, and Misses May Anthony, Theresa Carstens, Dessa Gualt, Nora Ritze, Neva Sage, Helen Todd, Leona Willard, Margaret Lee Winston and the hostess.

Celebrate 41st Birthday

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. George Williams near Burlington Junction Saturday night to celebrate her forty-first birthday anniversary. The time was spent socially and at a late hour fruit salad and cake were served. The company included Mr. and Mrs. John Dykes, Mr. and Mrs. William Crouse and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Culver and daughter, Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Culver and baby son, Leland, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hull and children, Fern and Glenn Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Plymell and children, Ada, Ethel and Olen, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Culver and children, Everett, Dilbert, Elvert and Harvey Culver, Mary Penny, Margaret Dawson, Lucy Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Culver, and Mrs. Williams and family.

Stoneburner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stoneburner of Ravenwood had as their guests at dinner Sunday Miss Irene Sparks, Miss Beulah Tillett, Homer Brewit and Paul Swift, all of Grant City.

Miss Carter Was Second in Contest

Miss Lucile Carter, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. Carter of Burlington Junction, won second place in a music memory contest which was conducted by the Des Moines Register in Des Moines last Friday night. Miss Carter competed with advanced music pupils in the North High School where she teaches, and was in Class A. The contest consisted of twenty events and lasted from early evening until 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Kinnaird Will Meet Pig Clubs

County farm agent, Roy A. Kinnaird, is today sending out letters to members of the Maryville and Skidmore pig clubs announcing a meeting with each of them Saturday. Kinnaird will talk to them upon the most economical methods for fattening pigs from weaning time to market. He will meet the Maryville club Saturday morning at the Farm Bureau office and the Skidmore at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Infant Daughter of Gardners Dies Today

Ermil May, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gardner of Burlington Junction, died about 4 o'clock this morning at the home of her parents following an illness of whooping cough and pneumonia. The baby was born December 4, 1922. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Christian Church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Ernest Taggart. Burial will be in the Ohio cemetery.

Fans Go to Kansas City for Mat Bout

Several wrestling fans from Maryville went to Kansas City today to attend the wrestling match at Convention Hall tonight. The match will be between Ed "Strangler" Lewis, present world champion, and John Pesek, "Tiger Man of Nebraska" for the championship. Among those from Maryville attending were: M. K. Garrett, Dennis Collins, Frank Schumacher, Ben Chandler, Dr. D. J. Thomas, Earl Barmann, Ed Gray and Theodore Robinson.

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Society Man Is a Master Robber

Kansas City, May 2—Police announced today the impending arrest of a young society man here, who they say, has planned a majority of the big diamond robberies here in the past year.

According to the police, this young man mingled upon intimate terms with his victims, made the plans for the robberies but did not execute them himself. For his work he received a half of the loot. This announcement of the police climaxed the $10,000 jewelry robbery this morning of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Idalsonl, who were robbed at their fashionable apartments.

U. S. Cutters Guard at Three Mile Zone

Washington, May 2—The assignment of fast cutters to the New York harbor to prevent the landing of liquor by a booze fleet, hovering outside the three-mile limit, was announced today by the treasury department. The government cutters will not attempt to seize the liquor ships but will interfere only if any attempt is made to bring their cargo ashore.

HULL SPEAKS AT SEDALIA ON MISSOURI ASSOCIATION

J. F. Hull returned today from Sedalia where he addressed the Chamber of Commerce of that city at noon Tuesday on "Missouri and its resources."

"The road system being built will be the biggest thing ever done for Missouri," Mr. Hull said. "It will bring the people of the northern part of the state and the people of the southern part of the state together. It will make trips from one section of the state to another a pleasure."

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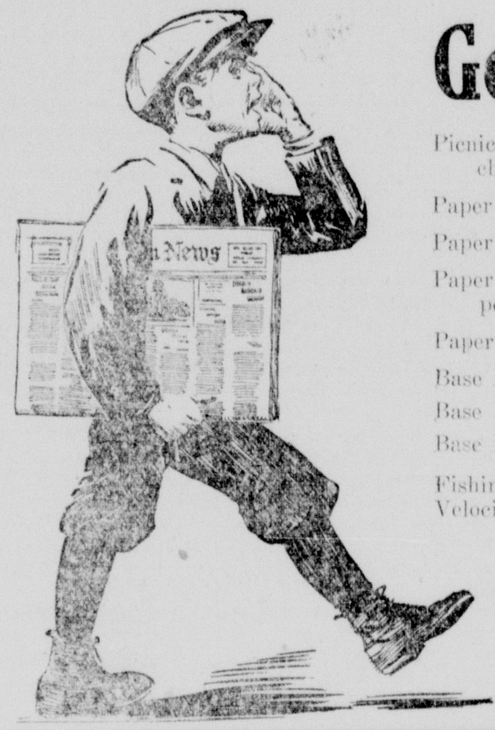

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Church Notes.

The Christian Endeavor gave a water party at the home of Mrs. Freytag Friday evening.

Reverend Conder delivered a sermon Sunday morning.

Mr. Conder gave a short but interesting talk at the Christian Endeavor Sunday evening.

Community Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Owens and family of Mound City were Sunday visitors in the home of John Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wakely spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Wakely's mother, west of Maitland.

Oren Force and wife, Mrs. Ed Cole and son were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Alta Lorene Owens of Mound City is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

Mrs. Venice Cox spent Sunday in the Jake Eckles home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McNeal spent Sunday with Joe Robertson and family.

Ogle McKee, Mildred Davis, Dorothea Ferguson, Lucile Lawson and Irene Brown of the Excelsior ward school in the Harmony Consolidated District, spent the week-end with their teacher, Miss Nettie Moore of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore of Graham entertained with Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davis and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Medsker spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Medsker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson and son, George, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bussell spent the week end in St. Joseph with Cecil Long and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shemidt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Dunn near Barnard.

Miss Grace Morris spent the week-end with home folks.

Miss Clydia Bratcher spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Hayzlett.

Mrs. Cole and son, Harry, were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leeper and Mrs. Morgan were Maryville visitors Saturday afternoon.

Lee Heidthbrinks spent Saturday night in the home of Frank Leeper.

Gus Heidthbrink spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Leeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lawrence and children of Mound City visited in the home of Clarence Leeper's Sunday evening.

Ervin Acklin motored to Maryville Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorn Acklin visited in the home of Marion Keller Sunday.

Miss Mildred Broyles visited in Clearmont during the week-end.

Loyce Miller spent Sunday with Lela Wessels.

School Notes.

Remember the Senior play to be given Wednesday night at the Peerless Theater. Reserved seats are on sale now.

The Graham High School finished the Northwest Missouri High School contest at Maryville Saturday with seven points in the track meet, winning three first prizes and one third. Olin Wakely won first in pole vaulting in class B, going 10 feet, 6 in., which was 3 inches higher than St. Joe Central made in class A. Olin Warren won third in half mile, time 2:8. Eldon Adkins won first in presentation. Many compliments were made on the technique of his drawing. The girls won first in folk dance. Those who took part were Wilma Schmidt, Glola Eckles, Elizabeth Greeson, Maxine Kaufman, Vae and Beulah McDowell, Maxine Miller and Alice Sewell.

The Graham track team entered in the following events at Tarkio: Half mile, Olin Warren; high jump, Olin Wakely and Hugh Lyle; pole vault, Olin Wakely; tennis, Eldon Adkins and Clarence Leeper, Jr. Mary Gex will represent Graham in declamations and Charles Zapf in oration. The track team will go from there to compete in the meet at Clearmont.

Glola Eckles was absent from school Monday on account of blood poisoning.

Jack Chapell is back to school after being absent for a week.

Earl Kimes was absent from school Monday.

Primary room went flower hunting Monday afternoon.

The 8th grade commencement exercise will be given May 15.

The three grade rooms have arranged an entertainment for every Monday morning.

A large number of high school students left last Friday for the Maryville track meet. The ones that were left behind visited the dredge boat at Maitland Friday afternoon with Miss Stuessi as chaperon.

The Junior class will meet at the home of Ruth Owens Tuesday evening to make candy to sell at the Senior play Wednesday night.

Don't forget the Senior play at the Peerless Theater Wednesday, May 2. Title, "Nothing But the Truth."

Palestine Church Items

The Womanless Wedding will be given at Palestine Church Friday of this week, at 8:30 p. m. Local talent will be used; come and have some fun.

There will be preaching services next Sunday, at 11:15 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Also Sunday School at 10:15 a. m. You are cordially urged to attend these services.

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Friday, May 4, 8:15 p.m.
KANSAS CITY LITTLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Teachers College Auditorium

Sunday, May 6, 8:15 p.m.
CONSERVATORY FACULTY CONCERT
Admission Free—First Christian Church.

Monday, May 7, 8:15 p.m.
ORATORIO—THE HOLY CITY
Teachers College Auditorium

Tuesday, May 8, 8:15 p.m.
MME. ELLY NEY IN PIANO RECITAL
Teachers College Auditorium

Wednesday, May 9, 6:15p.m.
MAY DAY FETE—THE COMING OF SPRING
Admission Free
Teachers College Campus

Thursday, May 10, 8:15 p.m.
COMBINED BANDS OF NODAWAY COUNTY
Teachers College Auditorium

Friday afternoon, May 4, the Kansas City Little Symphony Orchestra will give TWO CONCERTS FOR CHILDREN at the State Teachers College Auditorium—1:30 p. m. for school children of Nodaway County outside of Maryville; 3:30 p. m. for school children of Maryville.

Tickets may be reserved at Kuchs Bros. Jewelry Store on and after Wednesday, April 25 at 2 p. m. Season Ticket with seat reservation $2.50. Single admission ticket with seat reservation for Kansas City Little Symphony $1.00; Oratorio $1.00; Mme. Elly Ney $1.00; Combined Bands 50c; Children's tickets for afternoon concerts 35c. Season tickets do not admit to children's concerts.

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A WONDERFUL REMNANT SALE

Last Saturday we closed our first ANNIVERSARY SALE---a sale that will be remembered by the folks of this community as THE GREATEST VALUE GIVING SALE they have ever Known. All this week we have been busy, putting goods in their regular places, and we found many

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---Remnants in Percales
---Remnants in Silks
---Remnants in Voile
---Remnants in Dress Materials
---Remnants in Curtain Materials

I want to thank my friends and patrons for the most generous response to our First Anniversary Sale. To our new patrons we extend our gratitude for your patronage, because we feel that you have found a new trading place that means savings to you and a continued patronage for us. To my old friends of years ago, I am extremely grateful for the many expressions of good will and best wishes—they mean more than can be counted with dollars and cents. It will always be the purpose of this store to merit your good will and patronage. We want you to know we appreciate it.

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BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506. Kane Building. A3tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

Electric Lamps, Holt Supply Co. 1-11

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Six room house on paved street. Lights, water, well, brick cave, garage, fruit and good outbuilding. Almost two lots. Phone Farmers 180. 1-3*

Tree spraying outfits at Holt Supply Co. 2-8

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FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, Senator Dunlap, 60c per hundred. H. W. Hull, 522 W. Cooper; Farmers 33-17. 19tf

FOR SALE—Acetylene plant, good condition, cheap if taken at once. 304 South Market. 1-3*

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FOR SALE—sow pig at 521 South Hester street. 27-30

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FOR SALE—Two lawn mowers, almost new. Call 233 Farmers. 1-3*

FOR SALE—Sturgies ivory finish hand woven reed baby carriage, velvet lined, only slightly used. Han. 3356. 30-2

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FOR SALE—Early tomato plants, 15c dozen; 2 dozen for 25c; postage extra; sweet potato plants ready about May 10. Walter E. Johnson, Pickering. 30-tf

FOR SALE—Ford coupe, Chevrolet touring, Overland touring, all in fine condition. Travis Chevrolet Co., Fred C. Newlon, Mgr. 30-M2*

FOR SALE—Two buggies, E. C. Culp, Farmers 182. 2-4

FOR SALE—Midwest soy beans. Sample at Farm Bureau office. Leroy Jones, Farmers 38-17. 1-3*

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOMS—For rent, also car room for rent, 422 South Vine. 2*

WANTED—Kitchen help at St. Francis Hospital; middle-aged, strong woman preferred. 2-3

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

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LOST—Garnet brooch Saturday afternoon. Suitable reward. Mrs. Fred J. Yeomans, Hopkins, Mo. 30-M2*

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FOR RENT—8 lots for garden with some small fruit. C. D. Allen. 1-3*

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RUMMAGE SALE—Friday, May 4, 416 North Main, clothing, baby carriages, baby buggies, sewing machines, one mattress and bedstead. 1-3

WANTED—Man for general work. Armstrong's Foundry. 1-3

LOST—Gold chained pearl rosary near St. Mary's Church or hospital. Return to Dorothy Busby, care Democrat-Forum. 1-2*

LOST—Dark yellow collie with collar, name of J. G. Robinson on collar. Call Democrat-Forum. Reward. 1-3*

WANTED—2 quick, neat appearing waitresses, also 1 colored porter. Apply in person. Linville Hotel. 30-M2

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TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per doz	22c
Butter,fat, per lb	34c
Springs, per lb	30c to 35c
Hens, per lb	17c to 19c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c

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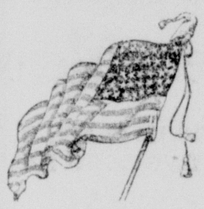

Shall This Government Live or Die?

That in the creation of the United States the world had reached one of the turning points in its history, seems at the time to have entered into the thought of not a single European statesman.—John Richard Green, History of the English People.

XXV.

The United States Under the Articles of Confederation.

What were the thirteen states which his Brittanic majesty, signing at Paris by the hand of David Hartley, acknowledged on September 3, 1783, to be free, sovereign and independent states? In the Declaration of Independence they had been styled the United States of America. Following the promulgation of that document, congress had appointed a committee "to prepare and digest the form of confederation to be entered into between these states." That committee reported a draft of "articles of confederation and perpetual union between the states, and it was debated, revised and finally adopted by the congress on November 15, 1777.

It was determined, however, that the articles of confederation should not become effective until ratified by all the states, and this unanimity was not effective until March 1, 1781, when Maryland, the last state to act, gave in its adhesion.

The first article of this instrument read, "The stile of this confederacy shall be 'the United States of America.'"

That confederacy existed from 1781 to 1789, and we have now to see what it was and why it was superseded by the government under which we now live.

The confederation, as plainly appears from the articles, did not contemplate a national unity nor a national government for the states. Their union was only a "firm league of friendship."

Each state remained sovereign except as to certain specified powers expressly delegated to congress. These powers chiefly concerned the common defense.

No executive was provided except congress, which body was elected annually or "appointed in such manner as the legislature of each state shall direct," and each state was represented by not less than two nor more than seven members. Voting in congress was by states, and each state, no matter how many delegates it had, had one vote.

A "committee of the states" was provided to exercise the powers of congress when that body was not in session, the committee consisting of one member from each state. The articles conferred no powers of taxation upon congress and none for the regulation of commerce, these powers being reserved to the states. The expenses of government were apportioned among the states on the basis of the value of the land they contained. Congress merely estimated the expenses and the states laid and collected the taxes necessary to meet their quotas.

Congress made war and peace, coined money, administered the postal service, made treaties, appointed officers to military and naval commands and exercised other specified powers pertaining to the general defense and welfare. But it could do none of these without the assent of nine states.

This plan of government failed to work from the start, and its defects were no less apparent in peace than they had been in war. Its main defects were that congress could raise no revenue, but only ask the states for it, and that it had no power to enforce obedience from the states. The result was that the states complied with or refused requests for revenue, as they chose. Some paid and some didn't. The year the confederation went into effect, for example, congress estimated it would need 8 million dollars for common purposes and this sum was requisitioned. More than a year later the collections had reached no more than ½ million dollars.

The treaty of Paris provided that private debts on both sides should be paid, and that neither country should raise any impediment to their recovery. But about half the states immediately passed laws violating this article and congress was helpless to do anything about it.

The war had created a national debt. Money was not only owing at home and abroad, but to the army, but congress was powerless to satisfy the public creditor and even to pay the soldiers. Washington's personal appeal to the latter alone prevented mutiny. In preparing to read a statement to a delegation of the soldiers, the general was obliged to hunt for his spectacles.

"You see," he said, "I have even lost my eyesight in your service."

The decided effect of the confederation was to extend irresponsible state authority and limit that of the general government. The state even paid the salaries of its congressmen, and as they could be recalled and others sent in their places at any time, they felt their responsibilities were wholly to the state rather than to the union. The voting in congress was, moreover, highly unequal. Virginia with a population at the close of the Revolution of 532,000, and Massachusetts and Pennsylvania with 330,000 each, having exactly the same voting strength as Delaware with 37,000 people. This inequality and the necessary assent of nine states to public measures made the defeat of what may be called national legislation easy. It was only with difficulty that congress mustered the votes necessary to ratify the treaty of peace.

In New York the assembly, under the leadership of Alexander Hamilton, had passed as early as 1782 a resolution for a convention of the states. Similar action was taken by other states, and in Virginia steps were taken that led in 1786 to a convention at Annapolis where five states were represented. This convention, however, took no action other than to recommend that another convention be called to meet in Philadelphia in May, 1787. Congress, acting on this recommendation, issued the call, but as there was much opposition and distrust of the proceeding, took pains to specify that the meeting was to be "for the sole purpose of revising the Articles of Confederation."

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FOR SALE—Baby chicks, $10.00 per 100, through June and July. Place your orders early. Groves Hatchery, Skidmore. Phone Graham. A23-M7

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, $10.00 per 100 after June 1; $12.00 during May. Mrs. Jake Oats, Barnard, Mo. 30-2*

Two Men Burned in Garage Fire

Chicago, May 2—Edwin Weber, 29, was burned to death and Hammond Moss, 30, was probably fatally burned early today in a fire which destroyed a garage here. Both men were truck drivers and because of exhaustion, decided to sleep in the garage last night. The origin of the fire has not been definitely ascertained but the theory proposed is that the men tossed aside cigarette stubs that started the fire.

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Grand Jury Probes Columbia Lynching

Columbia, Mo., May 2—A special grand jury composed of three merchants, one banker, three retired business men and five farmers, were summoned by Sheriff Fred Brown to meet today to investigate the lynching of James Scott, negro, employee of the university, early Sunday morning by an angry mob.

The lynching was the outcome of an attempted assault upon Regina Almstedt, 14-year-old daughter of H. F. Almstedt, professor of German in the University of Missouri. Ruby M. Hulen, prosecuting attorney, stated this morning that he had everything ready and that all of the subpoenas were in the hands of the sheriff.

Somerville Guests

Mrs. J. J. Omans and daughter, Mary Ellen of Kansas City arrived in Maryville at noon today to spend the remainder of the week as guests of Mrs. Omans' brother, Leslie G. Somerville, and Mrs. Somerville.

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Becomes Youngest Major General

The following is from the Kansas City Star about Major General Baird H. Markham of Oklahoma City, son of Mrs. Norman Chamberlin of Maryville:

Baird H. Markham, adjutant general of the Oklahoma national guard, Monday was appointed a major general of infantry by Gov. J. C. Walton and assigned to command the 45th division of the national guard, organization of which is practically completed in the sates of Oklahoma, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico.

General Markham, at 36, becomes the youngest major general commanding a division in the national guard, it is said. The order making the promotion stated he would not be relieved of his duties as adjutant general of the Oklahoma guard.

Walk-Out at Schools for Deaf at Olathe

Topeka, Kan., May 2—Kansas has a new kind of strike, one in which there are no vocal demonstrations. According to reports reaching the state house here there is a walkout of employes at the school for the deaf at Olathe. The state board of administration changed managements at the school. Several of the deaf and dumb employed walked out when the change was made.

Boy Liked Maryville; Had to be Taken Home

(St. Joseph Gazette).

Emerson Littlejohn, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Littlejohn, 6643 King Hill avenue, who disappeared from his home Sunday was in class Tuesday at Benton high school, where he is a sophomore. Young Littlejohn was reported to be at Maryville, Mo., when the parents of the boy started a search after he left home, and the boy's father went to Maryville Monday night and brought back his son. Emerson had attended the high school contests at Maryville last week and like the place. He returned home from there Saturday night and left again for Maryville Sunday morning. He forgot to take his parents into his confidence and caused considerable concern on their part when their son's absence was discovered.

Bandits Take Car of Goods From Freight

Kansas City, May 2—Police, armed with riot guns, were today searching for a number of bandits, who early this morning held up a Missouri Pacific freight train at Walcott, Kansas, several miles north of here and got away with several thousand dollars worth of merchandise. According to the report to the police the bandits cowed the crew members with revolvers and leisurely removed the carload of merchandise to their trucks.

Fire at Moore Home

The fire department made a run this morning to the home of George Moore at 812 South Main street, where a fire was burning on the roof. The blaze was caused by the burning out of a flue which was a result of a fire in a furnace with old rags and paper.

It is estimated that the damage was in the neighborhood of $40.

Mr. Moore gave the fire department a check for five dollars in appreciation of their work at the fire. This will go into the firemen's fund.

Mrs. Snyder to Kansas

Mrs. Anna M. Snyder will leave tomorrow for Oberlin, Kan., where she will visit her brother, Ira Kellogg, for several months.

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Writeup About Fern Boyer of Trenton

The Kansas City Times had the following about Fern Boyer of Trenton who was in the girls track meet in Maryville last Friday:

Fern Boyer, high school student whose prowess won second place for Trenton high school in the girls track meet at Maryville in competition with schools over a wide district, is the outstanding girl athlete in Trenton high school. It was not known until she appeared at Maryville that her athletic abilities were so numerous, but carrying home 28 points gave her individual point winner honors.

Fern is about 5 feet six inches high and weighs about 125 pounds. She stood and broadjumped 7 feet and 7¼ inches. She ran 50 yards in 7 3-5 seconds and ran second in a 75-yard dash in 10 3-5. Having never thrown the javelin before, Fern hurled it 60 feet 10 inches for first place and in the hop, step and jump got over 28 feet and 8 inches for first place. In the standing high jump she won first place by jumping 3 feet and 2 inches.

In the meet she won 28 of the 31 points won by Trenton and 35 points won the meet for Maryville.

Maitland High Has Promising Athlete

The following is from the St. Joseph Gazette about Leon Ungles of Maitland who was in the track meet here last Saturday:

Maitland high school has a young athlete who promises to develop into one of the best athletes ever produced here. Leon Ungles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ungles, has made a record as being one of the best athletes in northwest Missouri. He was high point man in class B of the district track and field meet Saturday at Maryville, scoring 12 points, and was second high man in the meet, being close behind Emmett Stuber of St. Joseph Central, who made 12¼ points. Ungles won the 220-yard dash by running it in 24 1-5 seconds; was first in the quarter mile run, traveling the 440 yards in 54 4-5 seconds, and finished third in the century dash. He has competed in twelve sprint events this season and has won eleven of this number.

Ungles was a star forward on the Maitland basketball team, which made an unusually good record during the last season. As he is only a sophomore, he will be a valuable man to Coach Sawyers the next two years.

A7th Sluggers Swamp B7th Team

The A7th baseball team staged a track meet with the B7th team yesterday afternoon. The final result was 24 to 8 in favor of the A7th. The game was staged at the high school grounds. The following are the lineups:

A7th: Lewis Moore c, Wilson p, Brewer s .s, McMurry 1st, Mumma, 2nd, David Moore 3rd, Leonard Moore r. f., Barrett c.

B7th: Strough c, Reynolds p, Phillips s. s., Deitz 1st, Nichols 2nd, Hall 3rd, Anderson r. f., Glover l. f.

Mr. McDaniel Here Today

John McDaniel of Savannah was a visitor in Maryville today. Mr. McDaniel was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for representative in congress at the primary election last August.

Helping to Solve Labor Problems

Kansas City, May 2—The federal government's part in solving the labor problems of American farmers is detailed in a report made by George E. Tucker, field director of the federal labor bureau.

"Agriculture is the largest employer of labor in the nation," the report states. "Of the 35,000,000 persons engaged in gainful occupation and designated as the laboring class, about 11,000,000 are farm laborers. When the farmer turns to large scale production, labor becomes a big problem because of its seasonal demand. The farm labor bureau endeavors to assist farmers in solving their labor problems."

Mr. Tucker asys the bureau assists annually in harvesting and caring for vast acreages of grain and food products and "by so doing contributes to the welfare of the agricultural industry and the prosperity of the entire nation."

Mrs. Laura S. Rittenour was appointed executrix of the estate of Milton Rittenour, who died April 6.

Requisition for Return of Hollywood

Jefferson City, May 2—Governor Hyde has issued a requisition for the return to Missouri of Albert L. "Ted" Hollywood, who is under arrest at Bellingham, Washington charged with holding up a bank messenger and robbing him of $20,500 at Springfield, Missouri May 15, 1922. The requisition was issued on request of Prosecuting Attorney H. T. Lincoln of Green county.

Hollywood is charged with being the ring leader in the bandit gang which held up T. W. Watkins, the bank messenger. The bandits escaped with the money. Hollywood has been identified by Bertillion records and his photograph according to the prosecuting attorney.

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